Mt. Fuji, towering in the West.

The goal, Koushien,
lies beyond it...

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CHAPTER 89
NAVIGATOR

寺嶋裕二

MAY 17

WHAT IS THE WHOLE FIRST STRING LOOKING AT...?!

SEIDOU, FIELD B

チーム	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Momoto 百田	0	1	0	0	1	0	
青道 Seidou	2	1	0	0	0	0	

Previously: Seidou is in great shape with 10 consecutive wins. Kataoka, preparing for Miyuki's absence, orders Okumura to catch for Sawamura, but Okumura refuses, stating his not being on the first string as his reason. His goal is not to make the first string but to steal Miyuki's spot. Meanwhile, Furuya and Yūi have a heart-to-heart, helping them face the issues. With only 2 months till the tournament, what will become of jersey numbers?

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4TH BATTER
THIRD BASEMAN
FURUYA SATORU

FOUL.

BUT JUST WHEN I START THINKING THAT NOTHING WILL, IT STARTS LOOKING LIKE SOMETHING WILL AFTER ALL.

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FOUL.

IT'S NOT FLYING MY WAY.

NOT THAT I THOUGHT A LOT WOULD, BUT NOTHING AT ALL?

THIS IS WHAT THE GAME LOOKS LIKE FROM THIRD - A VEIW VERY DIFFERENT FROM WHAT YOU SEE ON THE MOUND OR IN THE OUTFIELD...

I'VE GOT TO BE READY ALL THE TIME TO CATCH THE BALL THAT I HAVE NO IDEA WHEN MIGHT COME FLYING MY WAY.

AND I'VE GOT TO GET ALL THE OUTS I CAN AROUND MY POSITION WITHOUT FAIL.

SEC-OND!

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2 OUTS!

IT'S NOT LIKE I TOOK ANY OF THOSE OUTS MYSELF..

...BUT FOR SOME REASON I FEEL VERY DRAINED REGARD-LESS.

2 OUTS!

NICE PITCH, KUKI!

MOSTLY ASKING FOR PITCHES TO THE OUTSIDE AGAINST RIGHT-HANDED BATTERS, HUH.

IS HE GAME CALLING IN SUCH A WAY AS TO AVOID THE BALL GETTING HIT IN THE DIRECTION OF THIRD AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE?

HIS MOVE-MENTS ARE SO STIFF.

AT THIS RATE, HE WON'T BE ABLE TO CATCH THE BALL WHEN IT COMES FLYING HIS WAY.

NICE PITCH!

YAY!

NICE PITCH, KUKKII!

THAT LAST SLIDER WAS GOOD.

T/N: SETO INTENTIONALLY SAID KUKI'S NAME TO SOUND LIKE 'COOKIE'

YES! HIS LEGS ARE HIS ASSET.

HE SURE KNOWS HOW TO MOVE AROUND.

...

NOTHING CAME FLYING MY WAY AGAIN...

I'M NOT SURE IF I'M RELIEVED OR VEXED

BECAUSE I'D RATHER SOMETHING DID FLY MY WAY ONCE IN A WHILE ...

S-SURE...

STARTING TODAY, WE'LL BE DEFENDING AT THIRD, TOO!

LATELY, WE'VE BEEN HAVING AN INFLUX OF THIRD BASEMAN WANNABES ...

I HATE FOR PEOPLE TO THINK THAT EVERYONE AND THEIR MOTHER CAN PLAY THIS POSITION!

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TOKYO

KEEP IN MIND THOUGH THAT SUMMER WILL BE HERE BEFORE YOU KNOW IT IF YOU DON'T HURRY?

AND THE SUMMER QUALIFIER WILL START?

HOW AMUSING.

WA HA HA HA!

IF YOU WANT MY HONEST OPINION, THIS IS NO TIME TO BE DEFYING THE COACH, DON'T YOU THINK?

Kukuku

※IMAGINATION

WAHA HAHA!

THIS IS OUR CAP FOR YOU, OKUMURA-BOY!

※IMAGINATION

Wahahaha!

TAKING HIM DOWN WOULD BE IMMENSELY SATISFYING, RIGHT?

I'M GONNA RETIRE BEFORE LONG, Y'KNOW?

SO GOOD LUCK!

WE DIDN'T SCORE SINCE THE 2ND, SO CREATE US SOME CHANCE!

YOU'RE UP NEXT, OKU-MURA.

...OF COURSE.

THAT'S MY INTEN-TION.

I'LL BRING YOU HOME, I SWEAR!

HIT AND LET ME HAVE MY TURN, TOO!

LET'S STEP IT UP IN THIS INNING, OKUMURA!

I UNDERSTAND WHAT IT MEANS...

I WAS CHOSEN OVER THE SENPAIS TO PLAY IN THE GAME...

WHENEVER I GET TO PLAY IN THE GAME...

BUT...

IF I GET TO STAND ON THE FIELD, THAT DOESN'T MATTER.

...I WANT TO JUSTIFY MY PLAYING WITH PRODUCING RESULTS.

KOU-SHUU DID IT!

YEAH!

Yay!

HE'S AWE-SOME.

HOW CAN HE JUST UP AND HIT LIKE THAT?

ANOTHER ONE OF THOSE BOLD PLAYS OF HIS, AS ALWAYS.

TOKYO

ALRIGHT, GUYS, LET'S GO GET READY, TOO, SHALL WE?

RIGHT!

FIELD A

KUME HIGH - SEIDOU

(CHIBA) (WEST TOKYO)

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S	久米	1	0	0	0	0					
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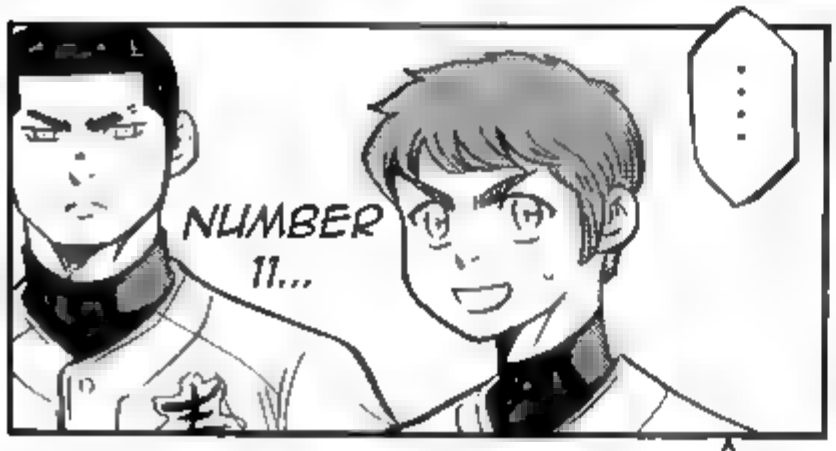
NUMBER 11...
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HELL YEAH!

OK! NICE PITCH!

2 OUTS!

HERE THOUGH...?!

2 OUTS!

It worked..

NICE PITCH, SAWA-MURA!

LET'S CLOSE IT NICE AND CLEAN!

1 MORE TO GO!

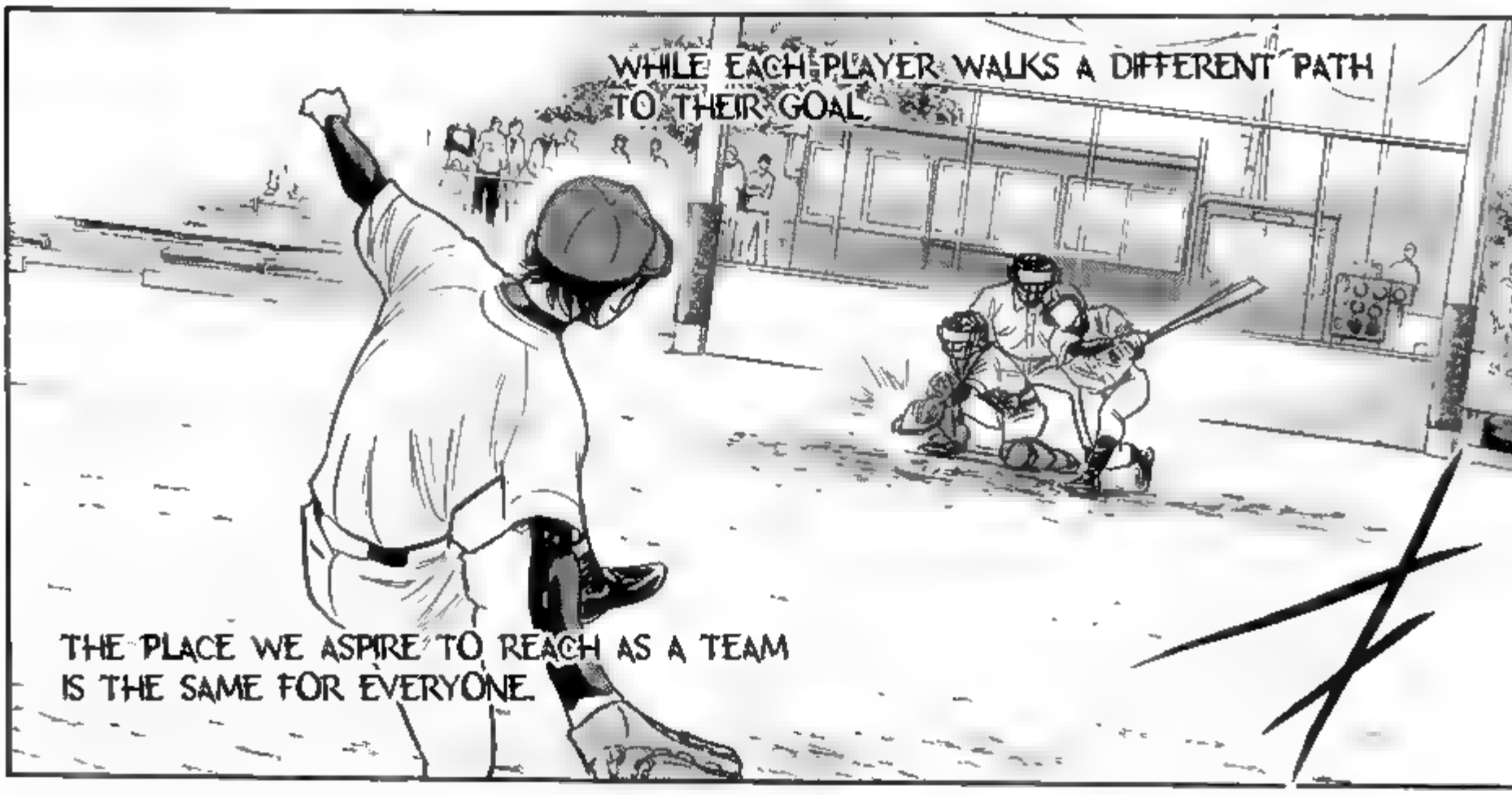
THROWING, BATTING, DEFENDING, RUNNING.

IT IS THESE MOTIONS THAT WE PRACTICE EVEY DAY
THAT FORM THE BASICS OF BASEBALL

So long as we play baseball, under no cir
must we neglect these basics.

Regardless of how great a goal
you have set your eyes upon.

While each player walks a different path
the place we aspire to reach as a team



What is required to accomplish that goal is not something special.

Those who work hard and steady on basic things,
accumulating them day by day, will turn into the real deal.

It is them who can reach the pinnacle of being the best in Japan.

So I will ask you once again:

What kind of pitcher is the best pitcher in Japan to you?

MAY 18

YAMANASHI

Spring Kanto High School Baseball Tournament

春季関東地区高等学校

ALL THE PARTICIPATING TEAMS ARE STRONG!
THE KANTO TOURNAMENT, FULL OF INEVITABLY FIERY FIGHTS, IS ABOUT TO START!

山日YBS球場

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NEXT TIME, A FIERY COLOR PAGE!

Special Thanks

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Nazo no Seibutsu

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Ace of Diamond

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